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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Building is progressing rapidly in the northwest part of the city, notable at the north end of Stocking street, where six large and tasty residences are in process of completion—two by Frank Wainwright, near Springfield avenue and four by J. C. Wood between Fifth and Sixth streets.

A committee composed of officers of the Masonic home and representatives of the various masonic lodges in the city will hold a joint meeting at Sweet's Saturday night, to take action relating to the excursion to Saginaw.

By a vote of the board of education the graduating class of this year will obtain its diplomas free of charge. Hitherto there has been a fee of \$2 attached to each diploma.

Property owners are complaining of the ruthlessness of pedestrians who persist in cutting across the corners of lawns. It seems to be a general epidemic all over the city.

The old Gravel store at No. 194 Stocking street has been leased by John Foster, one of the oldest flour and feed merchants in the city, for a feed mill and flour depot.

A dead horse in a lumber wagon was one of the sights that interested the captured public at the corner of Monroe and Iowa streets last night.

Charles W. Garfield has sold his entire Garfield park addition to Jacob F. Brandt and Lyman J. McGrath for a reported price of \$1,500.

The number of expensive soda water fountains in the city has almost doubled since the beginning of hot weather.

Miss Beale Nims returned last night to her home in Muskegon after a week's visit with Mrs. B. F. McReynolds.

George DeHaven left for Pontiac last night to attend a meeting of the Michigan Passenger association.

F. W. Henze was the only dealer to procure a liquor license from the county treasurer today.

The grain receipts yesterday were a x cars of wheat, one of flour, three of hay and two of oats.

Miss Kate Swarthout of New York is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Everts.

J. W. Crumacker, a prominent lawyer of La Porte, Ind., is in the city on legal business.

Miss Daisy Levi of New York is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Levi.

The southern watermelon and its accompanying regret have arrived in the local market.

Fulton street park was one of the best patronized institutions in the city yesterday.

Dr. Studley of La Porte, Ind., is in the city looking after business interests.

Mrs. K. Tasker Forbes of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry C. Post.

Mrs. J. W. Estes of Syracuse, N. Y., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. B. Wood.

Twelve real estate transfers were recorded by the register of deeds yesterday.

The first death by cholera infantum for 1892 occurred yesterday.

George Arnold and wife have returned from California.

An excursion to Hackley Park will be given Saturday.

The Art association will soon adjourn for the summer.

Members will arrive here Saturday morning.

Church and Society.

W. R. Colby of California, Dr. H. T. Stanley of New York, Mrs. E. A. Payne and other good test mediums will be present at the seance under the auspices of the Progressive Spiritualist society in Elks' hall at 3 p. m. today.

A meeting will be held in R. F. Hall, No. 415 South Division street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock for the purpose of taking the preliminary steps toward organizing a lodge of Pythian Sisters.

Central union will meet this afternoon at Good Templars' hall at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Myrtle M. Koon will read a paper on "Character Building."

Burial Permits.

Elmer E. Russell, 3 months. No. 207 Fremont street, cholera infantum, Greenwood.

Contagious Diseases.

Louis Solomon, 9, No. 149 Ann street, scarlet fever.

Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since last published, with the names, residences (when outside the city) and ages of the parties:

Agnes William A. Hoffmaster, 30; Ida M. Green, 20.

Charles E. Pomeroy, 21; F. Crosby, 20.

Abner VanDorn, 21; M. Smith, 20.

ENGLAND AS A WAR POWER.

See Butler Says She Always Hires Other People to Do Her Fighting.

Great Britain never had more than 25,000 soldiers from her own islands between the four seas, on any battlefield, and those were at Waterloo, while we had in our late war more than that number to starve or die of wounds or sickness in a single prison. Does anyone believe, asks Ben Butler in the North American Review, that England will ever forget that at the close of our war we disbanded quite 2,000,000 of soldiers and that 500,000 of them are yet alive to take a hand in any war in which the honor of our country is assailed by Great Britain? I have said, and perhaps may be criticized for it, that she is not a warlike nation. Her government is continually making war on small nations and hiring some one else to do the fighting.

If there is anything on which England can pride herself for prowess in war it is her navy. But she cannot forget that until almost within the present generation that navy could only be supplied with sailors sufficient to man it by dragging them from their homes by press gangs. The manacles of Salisbury seem to have faith in bonds in settling difficulties between England and this country. So too, England has given this country bonds in untold millions that she will keep the peace and be of good behavior. The first gun fired in

the Behring sea by one of her vessels would be war as much as the first gun fired at Fort Sumter and as the battle of Gettysburg. War abrogates all treaties of amity and commerce. War permits the confiscation of all property of one belligerent found on its shores or within jurisdiction of the other.

Every debt, demand, certificate of stock, due from an American would be at once forfeited and confiscated. Every road of our land owned by English syndicates or subjects would belong to her. It would seem as if we could find the means to carry on the war by selling her property in open market and using the proceeds; and when we hear the shells from her fleet, if we should do so, breaking the plate glass in Broadway, we should be comfortably remembering that a great deal of it belonged to English people. Stopping the export of cotton for three months would starve Manchester and its workmen and would be of advantage to us, as cotton is very low in price and we could use it.

HARDY CAMELS.

They flourish in Almost Any Latitude or Climate.

In a recent article on the camel, Lehmann remarks, according to Nature, that neither the most broiling heat nor the most intense cold, nor extreme daily or yearly variations hinder the distribution of the camel. The dromedary of the Sahara has better health than in the more equably warm regions, though after a day of tropical heat the thermometer sometimes goes down several degrees below freezing point. In eastern Asia winter is the time the animals are made to work. In very intense cold they are sewn up in felt covers. Each race does best in its home, as a Sudan camel would not flourish in northeast Asia. Camels are very sensitive to moisture. In the region of tropical rains they are usually absent, and if caravans enter such regions, the results are greatly feared. The sensitiveness to dry or wet conditions is seen in the characters of the different races. The finest, most noble-looking animals, with short, silken hair, are found in the interior of deserts (as in the Juarez region in north Africa), and they cannot be used for journeys to moist regions. Even in Fezzan (south of Tripoli) the animals are shorter and fatter, with long, coarse hair, and in Nile lands and on coasts it is the same. These animals, moreover, are less serviceable as regards speed and endurance.

SEA SERPENTS.

Scientists Who Believe in These Marine Monsters.

Prof. Agassiz was a firm believer in the existence of a sea-serpent of exceptional proportions, and spent a great deal of time collecting material bearing on that subject, says the Philadelphia Press. He was especially interested in anything appertaining to the sea monster which made such a stir along the Atlantic coast in 1856. This serpent appeared first at Nahant, Mass., and was followed along the coast for miles by the excited citizens of Nahant, Lynn and Swampscott, many of whom made affidavits to what they had seen.

Sir Charles Leyell, the noted geologist, thought it altogether probable that some of the primeval monsters may have survived until these latter days; and, like the renowned professor above mentioned, spent months and years collecting and arranging sea-serpents lore.

Prof. Busby says: "I have, with my own eyes seen a sea-serpent not less than one hundred and eighty feet in length lashing the waves of the bay of Bengal. I know that I was wide awake at the time and that the object I saw was not kelp, 'marine gelatin,' or any other inanimate substance. . . . I believe in sea-serpents because I have been near enough to one (the one just mentioned) to see its horrid teeth."

King Industries.

There has almost always in English history been some one industry that was supposed to be king. In the middle ages it was the growth and export of raw wool; last century it was the woolen manufacture itself; early this century and down to a very late date cotton was king; more lately, since the beginning of the railway and steamship era, it has been coal and iron.

What Is Known About Fish.

Flax, the great naturalist, who lived at about the time of Christ, reckoned the whole number of known species of fish at ninety-four. Linnaeus, the great Swedish investigator of the eighteenth century, could classify four hundred and seventy-eight, and he is known to have been the greatest ichthyologist of the age in which he lived. The progress made in that particular branch since the time of Linnaeus seems all at once wonderful, for now, since the expeditions of the Challenger and others, thirteen thousand species show up in the catalogues of the fish specialists.

Fallacies in Japan.

Feminine interest in elections is strong enough in our own country, but the most enthusiastic American woman would hardly follow her convictions so far as her Japanese sister. Mrs. Ishijima Sasayama, living in the Nagasaki district, was so affected by her husband voting for the wrong candidate that she dressed herself in white as a sign of mourning, retired to a store room and cut her throat with a sword.

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